



City of Milwaukee

Meeting Minutes

200 E. Wells Street
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CITY OF MILWAUKEE YOUTH COUNCIL

MEMBERS: Andrew Ellis, Janay McClain-Kelly, Allison Schwartz, Keturah Chesser, Matthew Schotting, JoeRon Streeter, Michelle Jenkins, Arely Flores, Jade Robertson, Arlee Vang, Ann Kaiser, Nayeli Garcia, Matthew Preston, Maxwell Loos, Britell Higgins

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Wednesday, April 12, 2006

5:00 PM

City Hall, Council Chambers

The meeting was called to order at 5:10 p.m.

- 1) The roll was called.
Members PRESENT Ellis, McClain-Kelly, Schwartz, Flores, Robertson, Preston and Loos:
Members ABSENT: Chesser, Schotting, Streeter, Streeter, Jenkins, Kaiser, Garcia and Higgins
- 2) The Pledge of Allegiance was said.
- 3) Member Loos spoke of the Youth Council Executive Committee's experience at the Congressional Cities Conference sponsored by the National League of Cities. He indicated that the City of Milwaukee Youth Council is much more involved in the legislative process than similar bodies in other communities. He also spoke of the Youth Council's lobbying activities as part of National Lobby Day.

Member Ellis indicated that the Youth Council should do more for the Youth of Milwaukee, particularly with respect to hosting events and the like.

President Vang read into the record that the members who attended the conference returned in excess of 30% of their per diem expenses to the City.

- 4) President Vang indicated that the office of the City Clerk has entered into an agreement with Strive Media Institute to conduct a recruitment campaign. Applications are still due April 21, 2006.
- 5) Member Preston moved for a category value of, at most, \$50,000.
This would be the only category established by the Youth Council.

On the motion: FAIL: Loos and Preston AYE

Member Ellis moved for a category of \$100,000 or less and no other categories.

On the motion: PASS: McClain-Kelly and Schwartz NO

- 6) Members were encouraged to attend the Parklawn YMCA Anti-Violence Teen Awareness Night on Thursday, April 13, 2006.

President Vang announced that the next formal meeting of the Youth Council will be on May 10, 2006, beginning at 5 p.m.

There being no further business to come before the Youth Council, the meeting was adjourned at 5:35 p.m.